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The State of Iowa.

Executive Department

Samuel J. Kirkwood.

Governor of the State of Iowa

To his Excellency the Governor of Nebraska Territory

Whereas, it appearing by the annexed papers, duly authenticated in accordance with the laws of this State, that Sanford Grayson stands charged with the crime of Forgery, committed in the County of Benton, in said State, and it has been represented to me that he has fled from justice of this State, and may have taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska,

Now Therefore, Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the United States, in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said Sanford Grayson, apprehended and delivered to A. H. Bevins, who is hereby duly authorized to receive and convey said Sanford Grayson, to the State of Iowa, there to be dealt with according to law

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Iowa. Done at Des Moines, this 26th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and sixty one, of the Independence of the United States, the eighty sixth, and of this State, the Fifteenth,

L.S

By the Governor. Samuel J. Kirkwood

Elijah Sells, Secretary of State

State of Iowa
Benton County } S.S

State of Iowa
vs.
Sanford Grayson

To the District Court of the State, within and for said County, at the September Term thereof, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixty one, The Jurors of the Grand Jury of the State of Iowa, within and for the said County of Benton, legally convoked, empannelled, tried, sworn and charged, in the name and by the authority of the said State

of Iowa, upon their oath, do aver, find and present, that Sanford Grayson, at and within said County, on the first day of January A.D. 1859 with intent to defraud did falsely and feloniously alter and forge, the promissory note whose tenor follows, that is to say.
$250. Two years after date I promise, and bind myself to pay S. Grayson, Two Hundred and fifty Dollars for value received, of him with interest, this the 4th day of February 1858.

Amos Culp, by then and there falsely, and feloniously, and with intent to defraud, writing and adding after the words, S. Grayson in said note, the words and figures "10 per Cent, and by writing over and upon the figures 1858, in said note found, the figures 185⁷/₈, so that the said note so altered was made to appear of tenor as follows,
$250 Two years after date I promise and bind myself to pay S. Grayson or order, Two Hundred and fifty Dollars, for value Received of him with 10 per Cent interest this the 4th day of February 185⁷/₈.

Amos Culp, and the Grand Jury aforesaid in the name and by the authority of the State of Iowa, aforesaid do, on their Oath, aforesaid do further aver, find and present, that the said Sanford Grayson, at and within said County on the first day of January A.D. 1859, did wittingly, wilfully, falsely and feloniously, and with intent to defraud, alter, and forge the promissory note, whose tenor follows that is to say,
$250, Two years after date I promise and bind myself to pay S. Grayson, Two Hundred and fifty Dollars for value received, of him with — this the 4th day of February 1858,

Amos Culp

By writing after the name, S. Grayson, in said note, the words "or order" and by writing after the words "for value received of him with" the words and figures "10 per cent interest" and by altering the figures "1858" to the figures "185⁷/₈" so that said promissory note, so altered and forged as aforesaid was made to read, and appear of tenor as follows, that is to say

$250 Two years after date I promise and bind myself to Jray S. Grayson or order, Two Hundred and fifty Dollars, for value received of him, with 10 per cent. interest, this the 24th day of February 1854

Amos Culp
Isaac L. Allen

District Attorney
of the 8th Judicial
District.

Testimony of witnesses before the Grand Jury filed September 19th 1861, by James Chapin, Clk. D. C.

State of Iowa
vs
Sanford Grayson

Samuel Douglass
Sworn Testifies
that Amos Culp says S Grayson altered the note from 1858 to 1854 making it one year sooner due,

Amos Culp
Sworn Testifies
That the alteration on the note was made since he gave it,

Samuel H. Watson
Sworn Testifies, that S. Grayson admitted that he made the alteration on the note, and that he and Culp would make it right by paying in the amount due. Amos Culp said he had no knowledge of the alteration till then shown by one,

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State of Iowa
Benton County

I James Chapin Clerk of the District Court of Iowa, in and for said County, do certify that the foregoing is a true transcript of the Original Indictment and of the minutes of the Grand Jury pertaining to the same and of the whole of said originals as the same remain on file in ~~the~~ my office,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my

[L.S]

hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Vinton, this 22nd day of October A.D. 1861

James Chapin
Clk. D. C.

Presented to the District Court of the State of Iowa, within and for the County of Benton, at the September Term thereof, for A.D. 1861 by the foreman of the Grand Jury of said State, within and for said County, at said Term, in open Court, in the presence of the Grand Jury, and filed by the Clerk of said Court, this 19th day of September, A.D. 1861.

James Chapin Clk. D.C.

It is hereby ordered that a Bench warrant issue for the arrest of the Defendent, and that Bail may be taken in the Same of $1000.=

Williams & Miller
Judge 8 C.

District Court, County of Benton

The State of Iowa }
vs
B. Grayson } Benton County ss:

I Samuel H Watson of Vinton in said County, being duly sworn; say that I was the complainant who prefered the Complaint in this matter, upon which the indictment for forgery herein was found, against the above named defendent, That all the matters in such indictment charged are true of my own Knowledge, except the matters sworn to before the Grand Jury by Amos Culp, That the defendent, B. Grayson is as I verily believe a fugitive from Justice, that said Grayson is not a resident of this State at this time, But that he resides as I am informed, and verily believe, near Omaha, in Nebraska Territory, That I have had such information from relatives and friends, of the said Grayson, in this County, and verily believe such information to be true,

Sworn to and subscribed before me in my presence by the said Samuel H. Watson this 21st day of October 1861

James Chapin Clk. D. C.

Samuel H. Watson

The Territory of Nebraska
Executive Department

To all the Sheriffs and Constables of
all the Counties in the Territory of Nebraska } G. G.

Whereas His Excellency Samuel J. Kirkwood Governor of the State of Iowa, has demanded of the Governor of this Territory one Sanford Grayson charged with the crime of Forgery committed in Benton County Iowa, as a fugitive from Justice from said State of Iowa, and complied with the requisities of the act of Congress in that case made and provided.

Now Therefore I Algernon S Paddock, Secretary and Acting Governor of the Territory of Nebraska, in the name of and by the authority confided in me, do issue this my Warrant, and authorize you to arrest the aforesaid Sanford Grayson, any where within the limits of this Territory, and cause him to be safely kept and delivered to A. H. Seben, who is duly authorized by the Governor of the State of Iowa to receive him, the said fugitive, he the said A. H. Seben paying all fees and Charges, for the arrest of the said Sanford Grayson.

And I do hereby Command all Sheriffs, Constables and other officers in this Territory to whom this Warrant may be shown, to aid and assist in the execution thereof, and furthermore, that you certify to me your proceedings under the same,

L. S.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Nebraska, Done at Omaha, this Eleventh day November A.D. 1861.

Algernon S. Paddock
Secretary
and acting Governor
of the Territory of Nebraska

Received this Warrant November 11th A. D. 1861
and arrested the said Sanford Grayson on the 29th
day of November A. D. 1861. and hold him still in
my custody.

A. H. Seburn

Received from the Governor of Nebraska Territory the
body of the within named Sanford Grayson.
Omaha December 3rd 1861.

A. H. Seburn
Agent for the Governor of the State of Iowa

Be it Known that on this day of A. D. 1861
His Excellency Alvin Saunders returned to this Territory
and resumed the discharge of the duties of his office.

State of Iowa. Executive Department

Samuel J. Kirkwood.

Governor of the State of Iowa

To his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Nebraska
Whereas it appearing by the annexed papers, duly
authenticated in accordance with the laws of this
State, that George Lawrence, stands charged with
the crime of Murder, committed in the County of
Wapello, in the said State; and it has been represented
to me, that he has fled from justice of this State, and
may have taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska,

Now Therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the
Constitution and laws of the United States, in such
case made and provided, I do hereby require
that the said George Lawrence, apprehended and
delivered to P. W. Hitchcock, who is hereby duly
authorized to receive, and convey said George
Lawrence to the State of Iowa, there to be dealt with
according to law,

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto
set my hand, and caused to be affixed the Great
Seal of the State of Iowa, Done at Des Moines this
Twenty fifth day of January, in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixty
Two, of the Independence of the United States.

L. S.

The eighty sixth. and of this State, the Sixteenth. ———

By the Governor,

Samuel J. Kirkwood

Elijah Sells — Secretary of State.

Polk County } 3
The State of Iowa }
against
George Lawrence defendant, } Before Justice A. Morris

The defendant is accused of the crime of Murder, For that the defendant George Lawrence, on the night of the 29th day of March 1860 at the City of Ottumwa in the County of Wapello. and State aforesaid did with malice aforethought Kill. and Murder one Louisa A. Harvey, in the Peace of the State then and there being, contrary to the Statute in such cases made and Provided, and against the Peace and dignity of the State of Iowa,

Milo Smith

Subscribed and Sworn to
before me by Milo Smith
this 25th day of January 1862
A. Morris J. P.
of Polk County
Iowa.

State of Iowa }
County of Polk } S.S. I. A. Morris a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid. do hereby Certify that the foregoing is a true and Perfect Copy of an information filed before me on this 25th day of January 1862. Charging George Lawrence with the Crime of Murder. and said information is now on file in my office ———

Given under my hand as Justice of the Peace as aforesaid. this the 25th day of January A. D. 1862

A. Morris J. P.
of Polk County Iowa

State of Iowa }
County of Polk } S.S.— I Mils Smith do state on oath that George Lawrence, who is the party charged with murder in the foregoing information, is a fugitive from the justice of the State of Iowa, and is now in the Territory of Nebraska, as I am informed and believe

Mils Smith

Subscribed and Sworn to before me by Mils Smith this 25th day of January 1862

A Morris C. P.
of Polk County Iowa.

State of Iowa }
County of Polk } S.S.— I. M. M. Laird Clerk of the District Court of Polk County Iowa, and ex officio Clerk of the County Court of said County and State, do hereby certify that A. Morris, whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing certificates is and was, at the time of signing the same a Justice of the Peace in and for said County and State, duly elected and qualified, a full faith and credit should be given to all his official acts as such,

L. S.

Given under my hand and official seal this 25th day of January A. D. 1862 at the City of Des Moines in said County and State.

S. M. Laird County Clerk
By P. Myers Deputy

State of Iowa
Executive Department.

Samuel. J. Kirkwood,

Governor of the State of Iowa,

To his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Nebraska

Whereas, it appearing by Information under oath hereto annexed and duly authenticated in accordance with the laws of this State, that George Secord, stands charged with the crime of Embezzlement committed in the County of Black Hawk in said State; and it has been represented to one that he has fled from justice of this State, and may have taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska,

Now Therefore,

Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the United States, in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said George Secord be apprehended and delivered to R. F. Fletcher. who is hereby duly authorized to receive and convey said George Secord, to the State of Iowa, there to be dealt with according to law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Iowa.

Done at Des Moines, this Seventy Ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty three of the Independence of the United States, the eighty seventh, and of this State, the seventeenth,

L. S.

By the Governor
Samuel. J. Kirkwood.

James. S. Wright,
Secretary of State.

State of Iowa.) ss.
Polk County.)

To any peace Officer in the State:

Information upon oath having this day been laid before me that the crime of Embezzlement has been committed and accusing George Secord thereof You are therefore commanded forthwith to arrest the said George Secord and bring him before me at my office in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, or in case of my absence, or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessable magistrate in this County.

Dated at Des Moines this 28th day of May, A. D. 1863

A. Morris, Justice of the Peace

Polk County.
The State of Iowa.
Against
George Secord
} Defendant

Before, A. Morris, Justice of the Peace in and for Des Moines Township, Polk County, Iowa.

The Defendant is accused of the crime of Embezzlement. For that the Defendant on or about the 30th day of April A. D. 1863, at the Town of Cedar Falls, in the County of Blackhawk in the said State, did Embezzle and fraudulently convert to his own use a large sum of Money, to Wit, about the sum of Five Hundred Dollars the property of the Western Stage Company, the same having been entrusted to him by the said Western Stage Company by virtue of the employment of the said Defendant, contrary to the Statutes in such cases made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Iowa,

E. F. Hookes.

Subscribed and sworn to by E. F. Hookes before me, this 28th day of May A. D. 1863

A. Morris Justice of the Peace

State of Iowa }
Polk County }

I A. Morris. a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid. do hereby certify that the within is a true copy of an information filed before me this 28th day of May A. D. 1863. and that I have this day issued a Warrant of arrest against the defendant named therein

A. Morris,
Justice of the Peace.

State of Iowa } ss
Polk County }

I E. F. Hooker being duly sworn do depose and say that George Secord. the Defendant described and named in the information and Warrant hereto attached is at this time in the city of Omaha in the Territory of Nebraska, and out of the reach of the Process issued against him, and that the said Secord is a fugitive from justice

E. F. Hooker.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said E. F. Hooker this 28th day of May 1863.

A. Morris,
Justice of the Peace.

State of Iowa } ss
Polk County. }

I Jacob. M. Laird. Clerk of the District Court in and for said County do. hereby certify that A. Morris. Esq. before whom the annexed instrument in writing was proved or acknowledged, was at the time thereof, a legally qualified and acting Justice of the Peace, in and for said County. and that I believe the signature of said acknowledgment is genuine. and that said instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of the State of Iowa,

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and and affixed the seal of said Court. at Des Moines. in said County. this 29th of May A. D. 1863

S. W. Laird. } Clerk
By P. Myers. } Deputy

Warrant issued this

By. A. S. Paddock
Act Gov

Requisition For Fugitive From Justice.

To His Excellency.

The Governor of the Territory of Nebraska.

It appears by the annexed papers. duly authenticated according to the laws of our State. that Smith Wm Mains. stands charged by indictment in the U. S. District Court for this State. with the crime of passing counterfeit coin of the U. S. and it has been represented to me that he has fled from the justice of this State. and has taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska.

Now Therefore. I Thomas Carney. Governor of the State of Kansas. by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the United States do. by these presents. demand that the said Smith Wm Mains be apprehended and delivered to William Mewhinney. who is authorized to receive and convey him to the State of Kansas. that he may abide his trial for the crime with which he stands charged.

The State will pay no part of the expenses of the execution of this writ.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the State, at the City of Topeka.

This 27th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixty three, the third year of the State, and of the Independence of the United States the 87th

L S

By the Governor,

Thos Carney.

W. W. H. Lawrence,
Secretary of State.

United States of America } Forgery
District of Kansas }

District Court of said United States in and for the District Aforesaid

The United States
vs
Smith McMains } Forgery

The Grand Juros of the United States of America empowered. Sworn and charged to inquire within and for the District of Kansas, upon their oaths do find and present that Smith McMains, late of the District aforesaid, on the first day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixty two, at the District of Kansas aforesaid, feloniously did falsely make forge and counterfeit, one piece of coin of Base metals, in the resemblance and similitude of the Silver Coin called a half Dollar, which said silver coin called a half Dollar had before that time been coined at the Mint of the United States, with intent to defraud some person or

persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, contrary to the act of Congress in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States, and the Grand Jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid, do further find and present that the said Smith Wm. Mains, on the first day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixty two, at the District of Kansas, feloniously did falsely make forge and counterfeit one piece of coin, of base metals, in the resemblance and similitude of the Silver coin called a dime, which said silver coin called a dime had before that time been coined at the Mint of the United States, with intent to Defraud some person or persons, to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, contrary to the forms of the act of Congress in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States, said the Grand Jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, do further find and present that the said Smith Wm. Mains, on the first day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixty two, at the District of Kansas, with force and arms unlawfully and feloniously did falsely make, forge and counterfeiting, one coin in the resemblance and similitude of the Silver coin which has been coined at the Mint of the United States, called a half dollar, contrary to the act of Congress in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States, and the Grand Jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, do further find and present, that the said Smith Wm. Mains, on the first day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixty two at the District of Kansas, with force and arms unlawfully and feloniously did falsely make,

forge and counterfiet, and cause and procure to be falsely made, forged and counterfieted, and did willingly aid and assist in falsely making forging and counterfieting, one coin in the resemblance and similitude of the Silver coin which has been coined at the Mint of the United States, called a dime, contrary to the form of the act of Congress, in such case made and provided, and against the Peace and dignity of the United States,

L. S.

R. Cozier
U. S. District Attorney

I certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of the indictment in the case of the United States vs. Smith Mc Mains, in my office in Topeka Kansas,

L. S.

F. G. Adams,
Clerk of the United States District Court, District of Kansas,

I hereby certify that the foregoing is an authentic copy of the original indictment

Thos Carney,
Gov of Kansas,

Thos Carney,
Governor of the State of Kansas,

To all to whom These Presents shall Come... Greeting,

Whereas— Smith Mc Mains, of this State, stands charged, in the U. S. District Court, with the crime of passing counterfiet coin of the U.S. and it has been represented to me that he has fled from the justice of this State, and taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska, And whereas, agreeably to the Constitution of the United States, and an act of Congress, passed February 12th 1793,

one made application to His Excellency the Governor of said Territory of Nebraska for the surrender of the said Smith McMains, as fugitive from justice, and have also in pursuance of the power vested in me by Law appointed (and by these presents do appoint William Mewhinney agent on the part of the State of Kansas, for the purpose of receiving the said Smith McMains from the constituted authorities of the said Territory of Nebraska, whenever he shall be surrendered in accordance with such application, and bring him into this State, to be dealt with as directed by the law in such cases made and provided,

These are Therefore to request and require all persons to permit the said William Mewhinney agent as aforesaid, to receive and secure the said Smith McMains, and bring him unmolested into this State, having jurisdiction of said crime, and to render all lawful and necessary assistance in the premises, Wm Mewhinney the said agent, peaceably and lawfully behaving. To expenses will be paid by this State,

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State to be hereto affixed, Done at the City of Topeka, this 24th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixty three,

(L. S.)

By the Governor

Thos Carney

W. W. H. Lawrence
Secretary of State.

Requisition For Fugitive From Justice

To His Excellency,
The Governor of the Territory of Nebraska

It appears by the annexed papers, duly authenticated according to the laws of our State that Franklin Holler and Grandville Holler stand charged by Indictment in the Wayne Circuit Court Feby Term A.D. 1865 with the crime of Murder, and it has been represented to me that they have fled from the justice of this State and have taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Oliver P. Morton, Governor of the State of Indiana, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the United States, do, by these presents, demand that the said Franklin Holler and Grandville Holler be apprehended and delivered to John M. Paxson, who is hereby authorized to receive and convey them to the State of Indiana, that they may abide their trial for the crime with which they stand charged. "The State will pay no part of the Expenses of the Execution of this Writ."

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the City of Indianapolis, this Seventeenth day of April in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty five, the Forty Ninth year of the State, and of the Independence of the United States, the Eighty Ninth

(Signed) O. P. Morton

By the Governor:

Nelson Ghrisler
Secretary of State.

State of Indiana } In Wayne Circuit Court
Wayne County } February Term 1865.

The Grand Jurors for said State of Indiana impannelled, charged and sworn in the Wayne Circuit Court to inquire within and for the body of the same said County of Wayne upon their oaths charge and present that Franklin Wallen and Grandville Wallen at said County of Wayne on the 18th day of October A. D. 1864, did then and there at said County of Wayne purposely and with premeditated malice unlawfully Kill and murder Nathaniel Tibbitts, by then and there striking and beating the said Nathaniel Tibbitts with Stones, which they the said Franklin Wallen and Grandville Wallen then and there held in their hands, contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Indiana

J. M. Templer
Pros Attorney

Endorsed, "A true Bill"
"David Beatty" "Foreman"

State of Indiana, Wayne County, ss:

I, Samuel B Schlaple Clerk of the Wayne ~~County~~ Circuit Court within and for said County, do hereby certify the above to be a true copy of an Indictment found by the Grand Jurors impanelled, charged and sworn in the Wayne Circuit Court, to inquire within and for the body of the same said County of Wayne at the February Term 1865 of said Wayne Circuit Court, against Franklin Wallen and Grandville Wallen, as the same now appears of record and on file in my Office.

L. S.

Witness my name and the seal of the Wayne Circuit Court at Centerville, this 17th day of April 1865.

U. S. Stamps
5 cts

(Signed) Sam'l B. Schlaple,
Cl'k C.

Territory of Nebraska,
Executive Department.

To all the Sheriffs and Constables of
all the Counties in the Territory of Nebraska } ss

Whereas, Oliver P. Morton, Gov-
ernor of the State of Indiana, has demanded of
the Governor of this Territory, Franklin Moller and Grandville
Moller charged with the Crime of "Murder," as a fugitive
from Justice from said State of Indiana, and complied with
the requisites in that case made and provided;

Now Therefore, I, Algernon S. Paddock, Acting
Governor of the Territory of Nebraska, in the Name of and
by the authority confided in me, do issue this my Warrant,
and authorize you to attach the aforesaid Franklin Moller
and Grandville Moller, anywhere within the limits of
this Territory and cause them to be safely kept and
delivered to John M. Paxson who is duly authorized
by the Governor of the State of Indiana to receive them,
the said fugitives, he the said John M. Paxson paying
all fees and charges for the arrest of the said Franklin
Moller and Grandville Moller.

And I do hereby command, All Sheriffs, Constables
and other Officers in this Territory to whom this Warrant
may be shown, to aid and assist in the execution thereof, and
further that you certify to me your proceedings under the
same.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and ~~caused~~ affixed the Great Seal
of the Territory of Nebraska,
Done at Omaha this 24th day of April
A.D. 1863

A. S. Paddock
Acting Governor &
Secretary of Nebraska Territory

(Endorsed as follows:)

I Received the within Warrant by arresting the within named
Franklin Moller and Grandville Moller and I delivered
them into the Custody of the within named

John M. Paxson as herein ordered to do. —
In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set
My hand, this 25th day of April A. D. 1865.

P. P. Gaff
Sheriff, Leafs Lee
H. T.

Requisition for Fugitive from Justice.

To His Excellency,
The Governor of the Territory of Nebraska.

It appears by the annexed papers, duly authenticated, according to the laws of our State, that James A. Picket stands charged by Bill of Indictment, with the crime of Murder, and it has been represented to me that he has fled from the justice of this State, and has taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska.

Now, Therefore, I, S. J. Crawford, Governor of the State of Kansas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the United States, do by these presents demand that the said James A. Picket be apprehended and delivered to E. G. Crabb, who is authorized to receive and convey him to the State of Kansas, that he may abide his trial for the crime with which he stands charged. The State will pay no part of the expenses of the execution of this Writ.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the State at the city of Topeka, this 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty six, the sixth year of the State and of the Independence of the United State the Ninetieth.

L. S.

By the Governor

S. J. Crawford

R. A. Barker
Secretary of State.

District Court.

The State of Kansas }
Doniphan County } In the District Court of the Second Judicial District sitting within and for the County of Doniphan, September Term A.D. 1865-

The State of Kansas }
vs }
James A Picket

The Jurors of the Grand Jury, selected, empannelled and sworn in and for the body of the County of Doniphan and State of Kansas, charged to enquire of offences committed within the said County of Doniphan, in the name & by the authority of the State of Kansas, upon their oaths do present and find that James A. Picket on or about the Twenty eighth day of March One Thousand Eight Hundred and sixty five in the county of Doniphan, State of Kansas with force and arms with a revolving pistol in and upon one Partridge, whose more full name is to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, did feloniously, willfully and with deliberate and premeditated malice aforethought did make an assault and that the said James A Picket, a certain revolving pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder, and leaden bullets, which said revolving pistol, he the said James A Picket, in his right hand, then and there had and held, then and there feloniously, willfully and with deliberate and premeditated malice aforethought did discharge and shoot off at, to, and against him the said Partridge, and that the said James A Picket with the leaden bullets aforesaid out of the pistol aforesaid then and there by force of the gunpowder aforesaid by the said James A. Picket discharged and shot off as aforesaid then and there feloniously, willfully and with deliberate and premeditated Malice aforethought, did strike and penetrate and wound him the said partridge then and there, with the leaden bullets aforesaid so as aforesaid discharged and shot out of the pistol aforesaid by the said James A. Picket in and upon the front part of the head head and shoulder of him the said Partridge, divers mortal wounds, each wound of the depth of four inches and of the breadth of one inch, of which said mortal wounds, he the said Partridge then and there instantly died: and so the jurors aforesaid do say that the said James A. Picket, him the said Partridge in the manner and by the means aforesaid feloniously, willfully and with deliberate and premeditated malice aforethought, did kill and murder contrary to the form of the Statute in such cases made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State of Kansas.

E. J. Jenkins
County Attorney.

(Endorsed)

No. 255.
District Court.
Doniphan County.
The State of Kansas.
vs
James A. Picket.
Indictment.
A true Bill,
S. F. Nisbet, Foreman.

Witnesses, — John H. Ult, Enoch Spaulding, George Pike
Robert Denny, Old Mr Nott & his oldest son, Dr. D. Beebe,
Sol. Miller.

Filed Sept 15 1865.
P. M. Sturges. Clerk
By S. Brownell D. C.

State of Kansas, Doniphan County, S.S.

I. P. M. Sturgis Clerk of Dist. Court of 2nd Judicial District of Doniphan County, Kansas, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original indictment in this case of record in my office on pp 67-8-9.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official the seal of said court at my office in Troy this 6th day of February A.D. 1866

P. M. Sturgis Clerk
By Stephen Brownell, D. C.

L. S.

U.S.R. Sclo

Warrant issued 12th day of March
A.D. 1866.

Territory of Nebraska.
Executive Department.

To all the Sheriffs and Constables of all the Counties in the Territory of Nebraska } S.S.

Whereas S. J. Crawford, Governor of the State of Kansas has demanded of the Governor of this Territory

James A. Picket, charged with the crime of Murder, as a fugitive from Justice from said State of Kansas, and complied with the requisites in that case made and provided:

Now Therefore, I. Alvin Saunders. Governor of the Territory of Nebraska, in the name of and by the authority confided in me Do issue this my warrant and authorize you to arrest the said James A. Picket anywhere within the limits of this Territory and cause him to be safely kept and delivered to E. G. Crabb, who is duly authorized by the Governor of the State of Kansas to receive him the said fugitive. he the said E. G. Crabb paying all fees and charges for the arrest of the said James A. Picket.

And I do hereby command all Sheriffs, Constable and other Officers in this Territory to whom this warrant may be shown, to aid and assist in the execution thereof. And furthermore, that you certify to me your proceedings under the same. (This Territory will incur no expenses in the service of this warrant.)

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused ~~to~~ be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Nebraska.

Done at Omaha this 12th day of March A. D. 1866.

L. S.

Alvin Saunders

By the Governor.

Algernon S. Paddock
Secretary of Nebraska.

I. J. M. Siglin, Sheriff of Richardson county arrested the within named James A. Picket, the 18th day of March 1866. delivered the same to the Sheriff of Doniphan county, Kansas on the 21st day of March 1866 as herein commanded.

J. M. Siglin
Sheriff of Richardson County
Nebraska.

Falls City, March 21st. 1866.

Received from the Sheriff of Richardson county, Nebraska Territory the body of James A. Picket

E. G. Crabb Sheriff
of Doniphan County
Kansas.

Filed Apr 14, 1866.

State of Iowa.
Executive Department.

William M. Stone,
Governor of the State of Iowa.

To His Excellency, the Governor of the Territory of Nebraska.

Whereas, It appears by information hereto attached and duly authenticated, in accordance with the Laws of this State, that William Keeps stands charged with the Crime of Murder committed in the County of Poweshiek, in the State of Iowa; and it has been represented to me that he has fled from Justice of this State, and may have taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska. Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said William Keeps be apprehended and delivered to James Campbell, who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the State of Iowa, there to be dealt with according to law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Iowa. Done at Des Moines, this 30th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty five, of the independence of the United States the eighty ninth and of this state the nineteenth.

L.S.

W. M. Stone

By the Governor
James Wright
Secretary of State.

State of Iowa, S.S.

James Campbell being sworn by the undersigned one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Iowa doth depose and state as follows viz: I, James Campbell do on oath state that one William Keeps is now a resident of Nebraska Territory; that heretofore to wit.; in the year A. D. 1856, two persons named Gastral; a man and his wife, were murdered in the county of Poweshiek in said State. That two men were the perpetrators of such murder, one of whom named William Simmonds, was thereafter arrested and hung; that the other escaped; that as I verily believe said Keeps is the other of said

murderers: that said Keefs in his personal appearance corresponds with the said murderer: That I am informed and believe his conduct and conversation is such as to lead to that conclusion: That said Keefs has professed ignorance of any person or locality about Polk, Jasper, and Poweshiek Counties, but has enquired particularly concerning said murder, and said Longnick and his relatives, and whether the other of said murderers had been arrested, and whether they had a description of him; and doing other things and matters tending to show guilt or complicity in such murder by said Keefs: That said Keefs is slightly lame, has large wrists, plays the violin a little, is boastful in his manner of speaking, has light hair and blue eyes and is about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches in hight: and from 25 to 30 years of age, in all of which particulars he corresponds with the accomplice of said Longnick in such Murder: That I verily believe said Keefs is such murderer and if produced before the Court or Magistrate in said Poweshiek Co. he may and will be fully identified as such Murderer by witnesses: That such murderer was not at the time of such murder resident of Poweshiek Co.: that the other of said murderers fled from the state thereafter and further deponent saith not.

James Campbell

Subscribed and Sworn to before me
by James Campbell at Des Moines
Iowa This 29th day of May 1865

C. C. Cole
Judge Supreme
Court of Iowa.

State of Iowa }
Polk County } S.S.

I James Campbell do solemnly swear that the above named William Keefs is a fugitive from the justice of this state escaped into the Territory of Nebraska as I verily believe:
So help me God.

James Campbell.

Subscribed and sworn to by James Campbell before me This 30th day of May A. D. 1865

L.S.

R. G. Cowig, Notary Public
Polk County, Iowa.

County of Poweshiek }
State of Iowa } SS

To any Peace Officer in the State of Iowa.

Preliminary information upon oath having been this

laid before me that the crime of Murder has been committed and accusing William Keeps thereof.

You are therefore commanded forthwith to arrest the said William Keeps and bring him before me at my office at the city of Des Moines or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessable magistrate in and for the county of Poweshiek, State of Iowa.

Witness My hand this 29th day of May 1865

C. C. Cole

Judge of the

Supreme Court of Iowa

Received, filed and Warrant issued
this 2nd day of June A.D. 1865
Algernon S. Paddock
Secy & acting Governor
of Nebraska.

State of New York

Executive Department

Reuben E. Fenton

Governor of the State of New York

To His Excellency, the Governor of the State of Nebraska.

Whereas, it appears by a copy of Indictment found and application of the District Attorney of Jefferson County, in this State, duly authenticated, in accordance with the Laws of this State, that Joel A. Hubbard, stands charged with the crime of Seduction, committed in the County of Jefferson in said State; and it has been represented to me that he has fled from Justice of this State and may have taken refuge in the State of Nebraska.

Now Therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said Joel A. Hubbard be apprehended and delivered, to Nathan Strong who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the State of New York, there to be dealt with according to law.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the Privy Seal of the State, at the City of Albany this fourteenth day of July, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty five

L.S.

By the Governor:

R. E. Fenton,

George S Hastings
Private Secretary
Per D. F. Tyler.

State of New York, } S.S.
Jefferson County.
Clerks Office.

I, Lester Wilde, clerk of the county of Jefferson and of all the courts of Record in and for said County, do hereby certify, that on examining the files of Indictments, I find a certain Indictment filed in said office on the 20th day of October 1864. in the words, figures and characters following.

State of New York, Jefferson County. S.S.

Be it Remembered, That at a Court of Oyer and Terminer, holden at the Court House at Watertown, in and for the County of Jefferson, on the 7th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty four before the Honorable Leroy Morgan one of the Justices of our Supreme Court of the State of New York, together with the Honorable Chas. D. Wright, County Judge of the County of Jefferson, and R. H. Potter and George F. Bartlett, Esqrs. Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Jefferson, duly designated and elected as members of the Court of Session of the County of Jefferson, composing the said Court of Oyer and Terminer, in pursuance of and according to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided.

Jefferson County, S.S.:

The Grand Jurors of the people of the State of New York, in and for the body of the County of Jefferson, to wit:

Jonathan Ackley, George Brinsfale, John A. Emerson, Luther H Clarke, Napoleon B. Gates, Ezekiah Field, Hiram Holden, Nathan Holloway, John A. Vincent, Elston L Simmons, Farlin Ball, Peter Turpenny, William Kellogg, J. J Sweetman, David Woodworth, Silas Lewis, Nathan A. Wright James G. Kellogg, Amos Kendall, W. A. Copeland, Edmund Remington, Lewis Godknow. good and lawful men of the said County of Jefferson, then and there being duly summoned, sworn and charged to enquire for the people of the State of New York, and for the body of the County of Jefferson do upon their oath present, that Joel A. Hubbard late of the town of Champion in the County of Jefferson in the State of New York, laborer heretofore to wit on the 16th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty three at the town of Champion in

the County of Jefferson aforesaid, and in the State of New York, did wilfully and feloniously, under a promise of Marriage, then and there made by him, the said Joel A. Hubbard to one Adelaide E. Ainsworth then and there being, then and there and by means and use of the said promise of marriage so made as aforesaid, seduce and have illicit connection with and carnal knowledge of the said Adelaide E. Ainsworth, who (the said Adelaide E. Ainsworth) was then and there an unmarried female of previous chaste character, contrary to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York and their dignity.

L. J. Bigelow Dist. Atty.

(Endorsed)

Oyer & Terminer

The People
vs
Joel A. Hubbard

Indictment for Seduction

L. J. Bigelow

A True Bill. J. M. Ackley Foreman

Filed—October 20, 1864.

And I further certify that I have compared the forgoing copy with the original Indictment aforesaid and that the same is a correct copy thereof, and of the whole of said original.

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal of said County and Courts this 7th day of November 1864

L.S.

C. Wilder, Clerk,

To His Excellency, Reuben E. Fenton, Governor of the State of New York,

Application is hereby made by me, the undersigned, District Attorney in and for the County of Jefferson in said State for a requisition on the Governor of the State of Nebraska, for the surrender of Joel A. Hubbard, a fugitive from justice, who has fled from this state, that he may be brought back to this State for trial.

And I do hereby certify, that I approve of the application: that the party complained of, the said Joel A. Hubbard is a fugitive from justice and that I believe — that he is at the time of making this application in the said State of Nebraska; that he fled from this State before arrest could be made; and that the ends of justice require that he should be brought back to this state for trial.

That this application is made upon an indictment a copy of which, duly certified by the Clerk of the Court in

which the same was found, is hereto annexed and herewith presented.

And I do further hereby certify that no application for a requisition for the same person for an offense arising out of the same transaction has been previously made.

And I do further certify, that I am informed by the complainant for said indictment, and verily believe that the said Joel A. Hubbard the accused was previously to his said departure from this state, a resident of this state, and not staying here transiently.

And I do hereby Name Nebraska as the State upon which the requisition is asked, and Nathan Strong as the Sheriff of Jefferson County in this State, residing in the village of Watertown, in said County, as a proper person, to whom the warrant is to be issued; and I do certify that the said Nathan Strong has no private interest in the arrest of the fugitive, and I do further certify that the reason why this application, has not been sooner made is that it has been impossible to ascertain where the said Joel A. Hubbard was.

Dated, Watertown, July 10. 1865

L. J. Bigelow
Dist Atty. Jeff. Co.

Recd. Filed & Warrant issued
Oct 14 th 1865.

Richard J. Oglesby,
Governor of the State of Illinois.

To His Excellency the Governor of Nebraska:

It appears by the annexed papers duly authenticated according to the laws of this State, that Washington Green stands charged by Indictment in Champaign County with the crime of "Selling Mortgaged Property" and it has been represented to me that he has fled from the justice of this State, and has taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska,

Now Therefore pursuant to the provision of the Constitution and Laws of the United States, in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said Washington Green be apprehended and delivered to John H. Kitchenmaster, who is hereby duly authorized to receive him and convey him to the state of Illinois, there to be dealt with according to law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed. Done at the City of Springfield, this 16th day of December in the year of our Lord one th

eight hundred and sixty five and of the Independence of the United States the ninetieth

Wm. F. Ross.
Lt. Gov. & act. Governor.

By the Governor.
Sharon Tyndale
Secretary of State.

Of the December Term of the Champaign County Circuit Court in the year of our Lord. eighteen hundred and sixty three.

State of Illinois }
County of Champaign } S.S.

The Grand jurors, chosen, selected and sworn in and for the County of Champaign, in the name and by the authority of the people of the State of Illinois upon their oaths presented that Washington Green, late of the County of Champaign and State of Illinois on the 5th day of June in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty three at and in the county of Champaign made and executed by the name and style of W. Green, under his seal a certain instrument of writing, commonly called a chattel mortgage, which is in the words and figures following to wit:

This indenture made this fifth day of June in the year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three between Washington Green of the county of Champaign and state of Illinois of the first part and Thomas Lindsey of Champaign county and state aforesaid of the second part. Witnesseth that Washington Green for and in consideration of the sum of $1074.07 dollars to me paid do hereby grant and sell unto Thomas Lindsey, heirs and assigns the following goods and chattels, to wit: All the corn now in the cribs or pens supposed to be about six thousand bushels situated upon the N.E. ¼ section 13. T. 20 N.R. 8 E. 3 P.M, said corn being the same raised by said Green on North W. quarter of said section, being the farm of said Lindsey, it being the intention hereby to describe the corn now in pens or cribs situated immediately east of the house on the Lindsey farm, also twelve head of milch cows now owned by said Green; also four three-year-old steers; and five three year old heifers and a lot of twelve head of young cattle, composed of yearlings and last spring calves to have and to hold the said goods and chattles unto the said Thomas Lindsey his heirs and assigns forever; provided nevertheless, that if the said Green his heirs and assigns shall on or before the fifth day of September 1862 pay to the said Thomas Lindsey the sum of ten hundred and twenty two dollars together with ten per cent interest, then this indenture is to be void, provided that the said Green is to have the use and possession of said property except to remove it from this county, and at his own expense to keep the same and if [illegible] at the time above specified, or if at any time

the said Lindsey may deem said property unsafe it shall be lawful for him to take the said goods and chattels wherever they may be found, and sell the same to the highest bidder, after giving ten days notice, as required by law in the act concerning constables.

Witness my hand and seal this 5th day of June 1863

W. Green L.S.

Which said Mortgage afterwards, to wit: on the eighth day of June in the year aforesaid at the county aforesaid the said Washington Green legally and truly acknowledged said deed before Alfred Southwick an acting Justice of the Peace, in and for the County of Champaign aforesaid and afterward, to wit on the day and year last aforesaid at the county aforesaid for the consideration therein expressed delivered the said deed to the said Alfred Lindsey mentioned in said deed, and that the certificate of acknowledgment of said deed by said Washington Green is in the words and figures following,

State of Illinois }
Champaign County }

I Alfred Southwick a Justice of the Peace in and for said county do hereby certify that this chattel mortgage was duly acknowledged before me this 8th day of June A. D. 1863.

"A. Southwick"

And that afterward, to wit: on the day and year last aforesaid, at the county aforesaid at eight and one half o'clock was duly filed in the office of Recorder of Deeds of said Champaign County and duly recorded in book J, page four hundred and ninety seven, and the Grand Jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid do further present that the said Washington Green afterwards to wit: on the first day of August in the year aforesaid (the lien created by said chattel Mortgage upon the property therein described then existing) without having the written consent of the said Thomas Lindsey to sell the said property described in said Mortgage, unlawfully did then and there sell the said six hundred bushels of corn described in the said chattel mortgage to Sanford Richards, Orin Richards and Jesse Richards, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the same people of the State of Illinois

"Joseph P. Cannon
State's Attorney.

Upon which appears the following endorsements.

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The People of the State of Illinois vs Washington Green. Indictment for selling Mortgaged property. A true Bill. S. B. Varney, foreman of the Grand Jury. Witness. Thomas Lindsey Sanford Richards, Orin Richards Esq. Jesse Richards

Bail $200, Filed Dec 18. 1863

W. C. Somers. Clk.

State of Illinois } S.S.
Champaign County }

I. O. Alexander clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County in the State aforesaid do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of an Indictment & endorsements thereon, now on file in my office, preferred against Washington Greene at the term above stated and now pending in said County.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official Seal at the city of Urbana this 15th day of December. A. D. 1865

L. S. C. O. Alexander Clerk.

Filed and Warrant Issued
this the 23rd. day of dec 1865

State of Wisconsin
Executive Department.

Lucius Fairchild
Governor of the State of Wisconsin

To His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Nebraska, Greeting:

It appearing by the annexed Papers, which I hereby certify to be authentic, that John Arthur Vincent of Rock county in the state of Wisconsin, stands charged by an affidavit in due form of law with having committed the crime of Larceny within the County of Rock in this state and it having been represented to me that the said John Arthur Vincent has fled from the justice of this state, and is taken refuge within the Territory of Nebraska,

Now therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said John Arthur Vincent, be apprehended and delivered to S. J. M. Putnam Esqr. who is duly authorized to receive him and convey him to the State of Wisconsin there to be dealt with according to law;

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the state of Wisconsin

L. S.

to be affixed)

Done at Madison, this eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixty-Six.

Lucius Fairchild

By the Governor
Thos. S. Allen
Secretary of State.

State of Wisconsin
Rock County
City of Janesville } S.S.

The State of Wisconsin to the Sheriff or any constable of said county:

Whereas William A. Reynolds has this day complained on writing to me on his oath, that John Arthur Vincent, late of the city of Janesville in the county of Rock in the state of Wisconsin, on the twelfth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty six, at the city of Janesville, county of Rock and state of Wisconsin being then and there the clerk of him the said William A Reynolds not being then and there an apprentice to the said William A. Reynolds, nor a person under the age of sixteen years did then and there by virtue of his said employment, have, receive and take into his possession certain money to a large amount to wit to the amount of twenty five dollars and of the value of twenty five dollars, of the property and money of the said William A. Reynolds, the said John Arthur Vincent's employer, and the said John Arthur Vincent, the said money, to wit: the said twenty five dollars, then and there feloniously, wilfully and fraudulently did embezzle and then and there, feloniously, wilfully and fraudulently did convert to his own use, without the consent of the said William A Reynolds, the said John Arthur Vincent's employer whereby and by force of the statute the said John Arthur Vincent is deemed to have committed the crime of larceny, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Wisconsin;

And the said William A Reynolds, being further sworn and examined on oath says that the said John Arthur Vincent, on the eleventh day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty six at the city of Janesville in the county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, he the said John Arthur Vincent being then and there the clerk of him the said William A Reynolds and not being then and there an apprentice of the said William A Reynolds nor a person under the age of sixteen years did then and

of his said employment of clerk to & on the said William A. Reynolds, have receive and take into his possession certain money to a large amount, to wit: to the amount of thirty dollars and of the value of thirty dollars of the property and moneys of the said William A Reynolds, the said John Arthur Vincent, said employer and said John Arthur Vincent the said money, to wit: the said thirty dollars then and there wilfully, feloniously did embezzle and fraudulently convert to his own use without the consent of the said William A. Reynolds, the said John Arthur Vincent's said employer, whereby the said John Arthur Vincent is deemed to have committed Larceny, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State of Wisconsin and he prays that the said John Arthur Vincent may be arrested and dealt with according to law. Now therefore you are commanded forthwith to apprehend the said John Arthur Vincent and to bring him before me to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand the 17th day of May A. D. 1866

S. A. Hudson

Police Justice.

State of Wisconsin } S.S.
Rock County }

I Sanford A. Hudson, Police Justice for the City of Janesville in said County of Rock and State of Wisconsin hereby certify that I am well acquainted with William A Reynolds the person who made this affidavit before me upon which the within warrant was issued and that the said William A. Reynolds is in my opinion is to be believed and is entitled to credit

Given under my hand
this 18th day of May 1866

S. A. Hudson
Police Justice.

State of Wisconsin }
Rock County } ss.
City of Janesville }

William A. Reynolds being duly sworn and examined on oath makes complaint, and on oath, in writing says that John Arthur Vincent late of the city of Janesville in the county of Rock in the State of Wisconsin, on the twelfth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty six at the city of Janesville, in the county of Rock and State of

Wisconsin, being then and there the clerk of him the said William A. Reynolds not being then and there an apprentice to the said William A. Reynolds, nor a person under the age of sixteen years did then and there by virtue of his said employment have receive, and take into his possession certain money to a large amount, to wit; to the amount of twenty five dollars, and of the value of twenty five dollars of the property and moneys of the said William A Reynolds the said John Arthur Vincent employer, and the said John Arthur Vincent, the said money, to wit; the said twenty five dollars then and there feloniously, wilfully and fraudulently did embezzle and then and there feloniously, wilfully and fraudulently did convert to his own use, without the consent of the said William A. Reynolds, the said John Arthur Vincents' employer, whereby and by force of the statute, the said John Arthur Vincent is deemed to have committed the crime of larceny, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State of Wisconsin.

And the said William A Reynolds being further sworn and examined on oath says that the said John Arthur Vincent, on the eleventh day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty six at the city of Janesville in the county of Rock and State of Wisconsin, he the said John Arthur Vincent being then and there the clerk of him, the said William A. Reynolds, and not being then and there an apprentice to the said William A. Reynolds nor a person under the age of sixteen years did then and there by virtue of his said employment of clerk to him the said William A. Reynolds, have receive and take into his possession certain money, to a large amount, to wit; to the amount of thirty dollars and of the value of thirty dollars of the property and moneys of the said William A Reynolds the said John Arthur Vincents said employer, and the said John Arthur Vincent, the said money, to wit; the said thirty dollars then and there wilfully, feloniously, did embezzle and fraudulently convert to his own use, without the consent of the said William A Reynolds, the said John Arthur Vincent's said employer, whereby the said John Arthur Vincent is deemed to have committed the crime of larceny, contrary to the fom of the statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the state of Wisconsin and he prays that the said John Arthur Vincent may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

William A. Reynolds

Subscribed and Sworn
before me this 17th day of May, 1866.
S. A Hudson
Police Justice,

State of Wisconsin }
Rock County } S.S.
City of Janesville }

I, Levi Alden, Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, do hereby certify that S. A. Hudson who took the acknowledgment of the parties to the annexed instrument, and whose name is subscribed to the certificate of said acknowledgment, was at the time of so doing an acting police Justice in and for said county and city duly elected, qualified and authorized by the laws of this State to take the same; That I am well acquainted with the hand writing of said justice, and verily believe his signature to said certificate is genuine: I further certify that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of this state.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Janesville this 18th day of May 1866,

L.S.

Levi Alden, Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
Rock County } S.S.

I, John R. Bennett District Attorney of the county of Rock and State of Wisconsin hereby certify that I approve of the application to the Governor of this State to appoint an agent to demand of the executive authority of the Territory of Nebraska, John Arthur Vincent who is a fugitive from Justice in the State of Wisconsin and has taken refuge in the territory of Nebraska. I further certify that the said John Arthur Vincent is a fugitive from justice in the state of Wisconsin, and that I believe the said John Arthur Vincent (being the same person named in the annexed affidavit and warrant) has taken refuge in the territory of Nebraska; And that the ends of justice require that the said fugitive should be brought back to the state of Wisconsin for trial.

Dated May 16. 1866

John R Bennett district Attorney of the county of Rock in the state of Wisconsin

Filed this 26th day of May 1866, and warrant issued

State of Kansas.

Executive Department.

Samuel J. Crawford,
Governor of the State of Kansas.

To His Excellency,
The Governor of the Territory of Nebraska:

Whereas, by the annexed affidavit, duly authenticated, in accordance with the Laws of this State, that one John, alias Jackson, alias Jack McDowell stands charged with the crime of Grand Larceny, committed in the county of Morris, in said State; and it has been represented to me that he has fled from justice of this State, and may have taken refuge in the Territory of Nebraska. Now therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said John, alias Jackson, alias Jack McDowell, be apprehended and delivered to William K. Pollard who is hereby authorized to receive and convey said Jackson to the State of Kansas there to be dealt with, according to Law.

Filed and recorded this 23rd day of January 1867.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the city of Topeka, this 19th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty seven, the seventh year of the State, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety first.

L. S.

S. J. Crawford.

By the Governor:

R. H. Parker.
Secretary of State.

State of Kansas } ss.
County of Shawnee }

Personally appeared before me E. S. Williams, a Justice of the Peace in and for Shawnee County, Kansas, on this 19th day of January, A. D. 1867 William K. Pollard, who

on oath says, that on or about the 8th day of January A.D. 1867, at Council Grove, in Morris county, Kansas, one John alias Jackson, alias Jack McDonell, late of said county, of Morris, one Corned Buggy of the value of $100.00, one bay gelding with a brand on the left shoulder, and of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars and one bay gelding of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, and of the personal property of D. A. Bradford & William K. Pollard, then and there being did feloniously take, steal and carry away - wherefore he prays that a warrant may be issued for said McDonell and that he may be arrested and dealt with according to law and further he saith not.

Dr. K. Pollard

Subscribed in my presence and Sworn to before me this 14th day of January A.D. 1867.

E. P. Williams
Justice of the Peace

Territory of Nebraska
Douglas County
vs.
J. McDonell

Before L. Miller
Justice of the Peace,
of Douglas County

Affidavit & Complaint filed and warrant issued January 17th 1867, delivered to Dr. P. Snowden, constable who returned the warrant on the 18th day of the same month with the defendant in custody, who on being arraigned, plead not guilty. Examination had Dr. P. Snowden & M. P. Wilbur sworn and testified, whereon the case was adjourned until Jany 22nd 1867, 10 o'clock A.M., Mittimus issued and prisoner ordered to jail, after which a discharge was issued for the release of Samuel McDonell and delivered to the Sheriff.

January 22nd. 1867. 10, o'clock A.M. the prisoner John McDonell was brought before the court for examination, the witnesses not being present, the examination is adjourned until January 26th 1867 at 2 o'clock P.M. and the defendant is required to enter into recognizance of bail in the sum of fifty hundred dollars for his appearance at that time for said examination. On default of which he is committed to jail. Mittimus issued Saturday January 22. 1867.

Lorin Miller
Justice of the Peace

State of Iowa.

Executive Department

To William M. Stone,
Governor of the State of Iowa,

Greeting:

Whereas, It appears by an Exemplification and Affidavit, duly authenticated, in accordance with the Laws of this State that, Reuben Hinds stands charged with the crime of being a party to a fraudulent conveyance, committed in the City of Polk in the State of Iowa; and it has been represented to me that he has fled from justice of this State, and may there be found within the County of Sidney, Nebraska Territory, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby demand that the said Reuben Hinds be surrendered and returned to from St. Bernice his agent authorized to receive and receipt for the State of Iowa, that he be dealt with according to law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State of Iowa.

Done at the City of Des Moines, this fifth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-first, and of this State the twenty-first.

L. S.

By the Governor:

Ed. Wright
Secretary of State.

State of Iowa
Polk County } ss.

I, H. C. Robinson, Clerk of the District Court in and for said County, do hereby certify that

Filed and Recorded, February 5th, 1867.

L. A. Lione is a Justice of the Peace for the county of Polk, in said State, and as such was at the time of signing the annexed certificate duly authorized and empowered to administer oaths, and take affidavits and the acknowledgements of deeds and that the signature of the annexed certificate, purporting to be his, is genuine and that said instrument is executed and acknowledged in accordance with the laws of this State.

In testimony whereof, I have subscribed my name and affix the seal of said court this day and year above written.

D. D. Gilbertie

L.S.
N.S.N.

State of Iowa } S.S.
Polk County }

L. A. Lione, a Justice of the Peace in and for Polk County Iowa, do hereby certify that the affidavits and Information hereto attached, are true copies of affidavits and an Information, filed this 4th day of February 1867 in my office.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 4th day of February 1867 at Des Moines, Iowa

L. A. Lione
Justice of the Peace.

Before L. A. Lione, Justice of the Peace
Des Moines Twp Polk County Iowa

State of Iowa
Polk County
vs
Reuben Woods

I, George H. Berry do state on oath, that I am acquainted with L. Lione and also with the defendant Reuben Woods, that on or about the day of 1866, the said Woods gave a bill of Sale or Chattel Mortgage to one Jesse A. Bane, upon several articles of personal property which the said Woods then and there had in his possession to wit

One black horse (Nancy) worth about $150.00
One " " mare (Suzy) worth about 125.00

Amount carried up $215.00

One top buggy (Bateman) with shaft $150.00

One open buggy (Bateman) with shaft 150.00

575.00

Then on the evening of the 5th day of January 1867, I had a conversation with Reuben Woods at the Savery House during which he asked me if I was dealing with Blakely, for some of their property. I told him that we had been conversing about it. Woods then said, he wanted to know what property I wanted to buy, as he wanted to trade. I then enumerated to him the property I thought of buying, and when I mentioned the "Maid Slave" he asked: "Is the Maid Slave in the mortgage" meaning the mortgage to Bacon). I told him she was, but that I should buy no property that was mortgaged. He then said: "What property have that free" (meaning what was left, in the state, mortgaged to Bacon. I told him that there was a black team and one top buggy, that Pickett brought from Chicago, and other property which I did not intend to trade for, as it was mortgaged. He then remarked: "I will go to Fort Howard and the buggy. He then started out and in ½ hour returned, and came back in a few minutes and said that he had bought the black team, the two mares with colts, and a double-harness, and the top buggy, leaving the Bateman buggy, all for $ 150.

I told him that he would do it then (meaning Bacon) should come on for his horses. He said they were good notes and was a cash horse to go for property on a mortgage. I said: "You can't pay me cash but the notes". "Well, says he, "the notes will do". I then told him I should take the horses, the buggy and the harness. I then asked him if he had any more property to trade, and that, about Tom with the white face (Bateman) said he had one "good lot", and that the note and I were to meet there.

G. H. Sage.

Subscribed and sworn to by G. H. Sage before me this 3rd day of February 1867

H. M. Cornell
Notary Public
Fond du Lac

G. S.

The State of Iowa
Polk County
vs
Reuben Reeds

Plaintiff

State of Iowa } ss.
Polk County }

L. H. Ensign of lawful

on oath state that I am acquainted with one L. Stakely and also the defendant Reuben Reeds. That on the ... day of ... A.D. 186 the said L. Stakely gave a bill of sale of chattel mortgage to the said H. Bacon on certain horses and wagons, as I was informed, and that a few days before the said Reeds traded with Stakely and took Mr Stakely had a conversation with the said Reeds about the property that Stakely had mortgaged to Bacon and which he (Reeds) was talking about buying.

I said to him that I had understood that the property was mortgaged. His reply was that the horses were going into the United States Service, and he didn't care for the mortgage, that that (meaning the U.S. Service) was a good place to get property on a mortgage.

L. H. Ensign.

Subscribed and sworn to by L. H. Ensign this 4th day of February A.D. 1867.

L. A. Keane J. P.

Information,

The State of Iowa
vs.
Reuben Reeds
Defendant.

Before L. A. Keane, Justice of the Peace, in and for Des Moines Township, Polk Co. Iowa,

The Defendant is accused of the crime of being a party to a fraudulent conveyance.

For that the defendant on the 29th day of January 1867, at the township of Des Moines, in the county and state aforesaid, did feloniously, unlawfully, and with the intention of

cheating and defrauding one J. H. Bacon, and other creditors of one A. Blakely, did purchase and receive of one A. Blakely the following described personal property, to wit; one black horse of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one black mare (horse) worth about $125.; one top buggy worth $150, one open buggy worth about $150. one pair roan horses worth $300. one bay horse, Sam, worth $150 and some harnesses which property the said A. Blakely, prior to that time had by his deed of mortgage, conveyed to said, J. H. Bacon, to secure the payment of three several promissory notes, for the sum of $342. on which there was then due $216.4, and interest, which mortgage was then duly recorded in the proper records of Polk Co. Iowa that at the time, Defft. purchased & received said property, he had full and perfect knowledge of the same being mortgaged to said Bacon and that said mortgage was duly recorded and was unsatisfied and that the said Blakely sold and transferred said property and Defft. purchased and received the same with the intention of cheating and defrauding said Bacon and the other creditors of said Blakely, contrary to the Statutes in such cases made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Iowa

John H. Bacon

Subscribed and sworn to by John H. Bacon before me, this 4th day of January, 1867

L. A. Crane.
Justice of the Peace.

Before L. A. Crane. Justice of the Peace in and for Des Moines. Twp. Polk county Iowa.

State of Iowa
Polk County
ss,
Reuben Woods

State of Iowa
Polk County

I, John H. Bacon do state on oath that I am personally acquainted herein, Reuben Woods and know that he is the identical person, against whom is filed the Information hereto attached, and know also of certain knowledge that he the said, Reuben Woods, has fled from the State of Iowa and is now a fugitive from the Justice thereof and is beyond the ordinary process of the courts of the State of Iowa as I verily believe,

John H. Bacon.

Subscribed and Sworn to by J. H. Bacon before me this 4th day of February A. D. 1867.

T. H. Brant Justice of the Peace.

Territory of Nebraska.
Executive Department.

To all the Sheriffs and Constables of } S.S.
all the Counties in the Territory of Nebraska }

Whereas, William M. Stone Governor of the State of Iowa has demanded of the Governor of this Territory, Reuben Woods, charged with the crime of being a party to a fraudulent conveyance, as a fugitive from justice from said State of Iowa, and complicit with the requisites in that case made and provided,

Now, therefore, I Algernon S. Paddock, Secretary and acting Governor of the Territory of Nebraska, in the name & and by the authority confided in me, do issue, this my Warrant, and authorize you to arrest the aforesaid Reuben Woods, anywhere within the limits of this Territory, and cause him to be safely kept and delivered to John H. Bacon who is duly authorized by the Governor of the State of Iowa to receive him the said fugitive, he the said John H. Bacon paying all fees and charges for the arrest of the said Reuben Woods.

And I do hereby command all Sheriffs, Constables, and other officers in this Territory to whom this Warrant may be shown, to aid and assist in the execution thereof, and furthermore that you certify to me your proceedings under the same.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Nebraska.

Done at Omaha, this 8th day of February A. D. 1867.

L. S.

Algernon S. Paddock

By the Governor,

Algernon S. Paddock
Secretary of Nebraska Territory.

Received the within warrant Feb. 8th A. D. 1867, and on the same day arrested the within named Reuben Woods.

in Cleora Douglas Co. Nebraska, with the intention of delivering him to Jesse H. Sturm as recommended within but on the same day and before I had so delivered him to said Bacon, I was recommanded by a writ of Habeas Corpus, Issued by the Probate Judge of said County of Douglas to produce the body of said Woods, before said Judge for the purpose of having the investigation of said Woods inquired into, and as was recommanded said Woods, was brought before the said Judge, and upon a hearing being had on said writ, the said Woods was discharged and released from custody by said Judge

Dated February 9th 1867

Jeremiah McCutcheon

Constable of Douglas Co.
Nebraska Territory.